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A WEBINAR FOR CONSUMERS: 'TIS THE SEASON TO BE JOLLY AND SAFE

Washington D.C. – Consumers and consumer advocates can learn about important safety tips for the holiday season during a webinar on December 4 at 2:00 p.m. EST. The FCC's Consumer and Government Affairs Bureau (CGB) and the Federal Trade Commission's Bureau of Consumer Protection will host this session offering information and resources to assist the public.

The free webinar will provide consumer protection information on topics including: robocalls and spoofing; protecting your mobile device; unwanted charges on your phone bill such as roaming; public wi-fi security tips; privacy issues associated with using mobile devices and apps; and giving to charities.

Registration is not required for this event. It will be streamed live at <u>fcc.gov/live</u> with open captions.

As more information about this webinar becomes available, it will be posted on the event page: fcc.gov/news-events/events/2017/12/holiday-consumer-safety-tips.

Reasonable accommodations for people with disabilities are available upon request. Send an email to fcc504@fcc.gov or call the Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau at 202-418-0530 (voice) or 202-418-0432 (TTY). Please include a description of the accommodation you will need and tell us how to contact you. Requests for special accommodation should be made as early as possible. Last minute requests will be accepted but may be impossible to fill.

For additional information about the webinar, please contact Alma Hughes at Alma. Hughes@fcc.gov or 202-418-1680 and/or Rebecca Lockhart at Rebecca. Lockhart@fcc.gov or 202-418-2221.